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Application No.: 10/589,927) Confirmation No. 3694
Applicants:	Naoya WADA, et al.)
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Title:	Shredding Machine and Shredding Method)
Art Unit:	3725))
Examiner:	Faye Francis)))
Docket No.:	8304/88877	
Customer No.:	22242	,

<u>AMENDMENT</u>

Mail Stop AMENDMENT Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants hereby petition under 37 CFR § 1.136(a) for a one-month extension of time in the above-captioned application, up to and including April 8, 2010, to make this reply timely.

In response to the Office Action mailed December 8, 2009, Applicants respectfully submit the following:

Amendments to the Specification beginning on page 2 of this paper;

Amendments to the Claims reflected in the listing of claims beginning on page 3 of this paper;

Amendments to the Drawings beginning on page 14 of this paper; and Remarks begin on page 15.